Forecast For Orkney & Shetland
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Headline:
Sunshine and wintry showers on Friday,.

This Evening and Tonight:
More wintry showers mixed with clear spells. Again Shetland will see more of these showers. North to northeast winds freshen overnight. Widespread frost away from the windward coasts. Minimum temperature -1 deg C (30 deg F).

Friday:
Feeling bitterly cold as northerly winds increase fresh to strong, continuing to bring the mix of weak sunshine and showers of rain, sleet, snow, with risk of hail and thunder. Maximum temperature 4 deg C (39 deg F).

Outlook for Saturday to Monday:
The pattern persists with northerly winds feeding further showers of rain, sleet and snow across the Northern Isles. Heaviest showers expected from Sunday bringing the risk of hail and thunder.

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